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TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is the patent application of () application identifier or (X) first named inventor, Philip G. Wessells, entitled OBJECT FORMING AND LAUNCHING APPARATUS AND METHOD, for a(n):

- (X) Original Patent Application.
- () Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):
- () Continuation () Divisional () Continuation-in-part (CIP)
 of prior application No: _____ Filed on: _____
- () A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 has been added to the specification.

Enclosed are:

- (X) Specification; 16 Total Pages. (X) Drawing(s); 4 Total Sheets.
- () Oath or Declaration:
- () A Newly Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney:
- () Signed. () Unsigned. () Partially Signed.
- () A Copy from a Prior Application for Continuation/Divisional (37 CFR § 1.63(d)).
- () Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated herein by reference.
- () Signed Statement Deleting Inventor(s) Named in the Prior Application. (37 CFR § 163(d)(2)).
- () Power of Attorney. (X) Return Receipt Postcard.
- () Associate Power of Attorney. () A Check in the amount of \$ _____ for the Filing Fee.
- () Preliminary Amendment. () Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449.
- () A Duplicate Copy of this Form for Processing Fee Against Deposit Account.
- () A Certified Copy of Priority Documents (if foreign priority is claimed).
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
- () Other: _____

| CLAIMS AS FILED | | | | |
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| FOR | NO. FILED | NO. EXTRA | RATE | FEE |
| Total Claims | 22 | 2 | \$9.00 | \$ 18.00 |
| Independent Claims | 6 | 3 | \$42.00 | \$ 126.00 |
| Multiple Dependent Claims (if applicable) | | | | \$0.00 |
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| Basic Filing Fee | | | | \$375.00 |
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